

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**  
**ABSTRACT**

Andhra Pradesh Disaster Management – Permission to the District Collector, Guntur for giving advance possession of land to an extent of 50.00 acres located in Survey No.232 of Mangalagiri village and Survey No.403 of Atmakur village, Mangalagiri Mandal, Guntur District for establishment of National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) Battalion, National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA), Ministry of Home Affairs, Govt. of India – Orders – Issued.

**REVENUE [DM.II] DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Ms.No. 16**

**Dated:15-11-2010**  
**Read the following:**

1. Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh, Letter dt. 09.09.08 addressed to the Prime Minister of India.
2. This Dept.D.O.Lr.No.42309/DM.III(1)/2008, Revenue (DM.III) Dept.,Dt.09-09-2008
3. This Dept.D.O.Lr.No.42309/DM.II/2008, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt. .07.2009.
4. From Vice Chairman, NDMA, GOI, New Delhi, Lr.No.12018/1/09/NDMA, dt. 29.07.2009.
5. From the Joint Secretary & Advisor (Mitigation), NDMA, GOI, New Delhi, Lr.No.NDMA/NDRF/ BN-AP/176/2008-1927, dt. 03.09.2009.
6. This Dept. D.O.Lr.No.42309/DM.II/2008, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt. .09.2009.
7. From the Joint Secretary & Advisor (Mitigation), NDMA, GOI, New Delhi, Lr.No.NDMA/NDRF/BN-AP/176/2008-2055, dt. 13.10.2009.
8. From Sri Mullapally Ramachandran, Minister of State for Home Affairs, GOI, New Delhi, D.O.No.31-27/2008-NDM-II(SO)/2273/PF, dt. 22-04-2010.
9. From Under Secretary, NDMA, GOI, New Delhi, Lr.No.NDMA/NDRF-BR-AP/176/2010-3850, dt. 14.05.2010.
10. Govt., Memo No.35618/Assn.II(2)/2009-2, Revenue (Assn.II) Dept., dt. 14.05.2010.
11. This Dept. D.O.Lr.No.42309/DM.II/2008, Revenue (DM.II) Dept., dt.16.06.2010.
12. From the District Collector, Guntur, Lr.No.E1/2333/09, dt. 18.06.2010.
13. From Sri Anil Bhushan Prasad, IAS., Secretary, NDMA, Ministry of Home Affairs, GOI, Lr.No.NDMA/NDRF/BN-AT (AP)/176/2008-3078, dt. 13.10.2010.
14. From Prl. Secretary to CM, CMP No.12384/CMP/2010, dt. 22.10.2010.

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**ORDER:**

In the reference first read above, the then Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh addressed to the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India, stating that Andhra Pradesh is the fifth largest State in India with long coast line of about 1050 Kms out of 8041 Kms coast lines of eastern & western parts of India. The State of Andhra Pradesh is experiencing heavy rains, frequent floods and cyclones for several years. During the period 1871AD to 2010, more than 85 cyclones hit the Andhra coast causing extensive damages to the lives and properties of the coastal communities besides large scale loss of human and animal lives. About 2500 villages are located in the most

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vulnerable areas which are prone for cyclones and storm surges. Hence, the then Hon'ble Chief Minister of Andhra Pradesh requested the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs that there is urgent necessity for establishment of National Disaster Response Force Battalion and the Government of Andhra Pradesh committed in writing that necessary lands will be provided for this purpose.

2. In the reference 5<sup>th</sup> read above, the Govt. of India through National Disaster Management Authority, requested the State Government for allotment of suitable land for establishment of National Disaster Response Force Battalion. The Technical team comprising of the Ministry of Home Affairs (NDMA), Government of India - Smt. Sujatha Saunik, IAS., Joint Secretary, Administration (NDMA) and Advisor, Dr.G.S.J. Ayyangar, IAS., Joint Secretary (Mitigation), Sri Mukul Goel, IPS., NDMA, Sri Alok Avasthi, Commandant, CRPF, Pune has visited Andhra Pradesh, on 31.05.2010 and 01.06.2010 to inspect the lands which fulfills, as per the following guidelines of the NDMA for the proposed NDRF Battalion.

- (i) The proposed place shall be within a distance of 30 Km from Gannavaram Airport, Krishna District.
- (ii) The proposed place shall be located near the National Highway for quick movement of the NDRF force.
- (iii) The minimum area/extent of the land shall be from Ac.70-100 of preferably leveled/even lands.

3. The aforesaid Technical team of the NDMA/Government of India, finally selected the lands near Mangalagiri town of Guntur District as they felt that this land is most suitable for locating the National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) Battalion as it meets all the requirements of National Disaster Management Authority. For establishment of Battalion, the logistics will be that, it will reduce lot of time and cost and helps save the lives etc. Further, the facilities will involve a Township, School and Hospital facilities. The battalion also comprises of 1150 men along with workshops, training facilities etc. Therefore, the team felt that the cost involved in setting up of a NDRF battalion is very huge. The team also felt that if advance possession of the land is given, they will be able to start the proceedings very soon and requested for immediate handing over of lands.

4. In the reference 12<sup>th</sup> read above, the District Collector, Guntur has stated that the land to an extent of 50 acres located in Survey No.232 of Mangalagiri village and Survey No.403 of Atmakur village, Mangalagiri Mandal, Guntur District is convenient for establishment of National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) Battalion. The District Collector, Guntur has also submitted a combined sketch showing the above lands.

5. After careful examination of the matter, Government hereby accord permission to the District Collector, Guntur for giving advance possession of the Government land to an extent of 50 acres in Survey No.232 situated in Mangalagiri village and Survey No.403 situated in Atmakur village, Mangalagiri Mandal, Guntur District in favour of National Disaster Management Authority, Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India, for establishment of National Disaster Response Force (NDRF) Battalion, pending finalization of alienation orders.

6. The District Collector, Guntur shall take necessary action accordingly and furnish the necessary regular alienation proposals to Government immediately through the Special Chief Secretary and Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Hyderabad for taking further action in the matter.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**S.V.PRASAD**  
**CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
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The Secretary, National Disaster Management Authority,  
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New Delhi – 110 029.  
The Special Chief Secretary & Chief Commissioner of Land  
Administration, Nampally, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

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National Disaster Management Authority,  
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SECTION OFFICER